



Third Crossing Project Community Engagement Report

Oct 1 – Oct 31, 2019

Highlights (since September 2018)

- Since September 2018, the project team has had 41 community meetings with residents, including near-neighbour meetings, public open houses, stakeholder meetings, onsite meetings and one-on-one meetings
- In twelve months the project team has met with over 1,000 residents through face-to-face meetings speaking with residents about project updates and construction related activity
- 18 e-newsletters have been issued by the project team to the 939 residents who have subscribed to the information through the project website
- Recognizing that not everyone is on electronic media and as another way of delivering specific information to key residents or community businesses, 16 hand-delivered notifications have been delivered on the both east and west shores
- The project team has conducted 20 media interviews and over 60 media articles have covered the project since September 2018

Community Meetings

- Oct 5: Kiewit and the Third Crossing Project team hosted a group of Queen's Geological Engineering students and professors.
 - The students were given an overview of the project and participated in a Q&A with representatives of the team. They were also treated to a guided tour of the site to see the scale of the project and the progress to date.
 - 24 students, two professors and one teacher's assistant for a total of 27 people

- Oct 7: Project team met onsite with owner of a resident of a resident of Newmarket Lane to go over how their fence will be impacted with the installation of the noise fence
- Oct 8: Project team met with a resident of Newmarket lane on site to discuss how their fence will be impacted due to the proximity of their fence to the new noise fence being installed
- Oct 10: Presentation to St. Lawrence by Revera, a retirement residence
 - The team spoke about the project as well as the recent engagement
 - Nine people were in attendance
- Oct 15: Presentation to Riverpark condo board – updating about Parks Canada engagement, upcoming construction work on the west side
 - Five Riverpark board members attended

Community Notifications

- Oct 8: Second hand-delivered notice to #796 NewMarket Lane about noise fence being installed on the west side
- Oct 8: Email to west side listserv about noise fence installation continuing and upcoming work activity
- Oct 8: Hand delivered new notices to #796 Newmarket lane
- Oct 9: Project team spoke with Bendale Management about fence installation on west side and how New market Lane’s fence will be impacted
- Oct 18: Sent out an east side listserv informing residents about the installation of the east side noise fence and what people should expect.

Media Coverage

- Oct 2: Kingston’s third crossing construction in ‘public consultation period’
<https://globalnews.ca/news/5976895/kingston-bridge-construction/>
- Oct 25: Bridge approval requires patience, councillor says
<https://www.thewhig.com/news/local-news/bridge-approval-requires-patience-councillor-says>

- October 30: Clarify operating costs for bridge
<http://eedition.thewhig.com/epaper/viewer.aspx>

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